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OF RECORDED DIGITAL SIGNALS
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

**Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 20, 2010, for which a response is due March 20, 2011, please enter the accompanying amendment and remarks/arguments for the above-referenced application. Reconsideration of the application in view of the amendment and/or remarks/arguments is respectfully requested.

Listing and Amendment of the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.